COUNCIL BLUFFS

OFFICE: NO. 12 PEARL STREET.

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H. W. TILTON, - MANAGER. 

### MINOR MENTION.

N. Y. Plumbing Co.

Council Bluffs Lumber Co. Coal The Union Christian mission band has re ceived and accepted an invitation to attend the meeting at the Congregational church

omorrow evening. Al Boyer, who was charged with committing an assault on one Englehardt with in-tent to do great bodily injury, was dis-charged by Justice Vien yesterday, the prosecuting witness, Mrs. Englehardt, fall-

Regular communication of Bluff City lodge o. 71, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons this evening at 7 o'clock, sharp, for regular business. Also work in the first degree. All Master Masons in good standing are cordially invited. By order of the worthy

Special communication of Excelsior lodge No. 259, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons, at 1:30 p.m., sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother, Lewis C. Linkey. All members of Bluff City and sojourning Master Masons are carnestly requested to be pres-ent. By order of the worthy master, H. P.

Prof. Reynolds, commenced a series of entertainments at the opera house last evening. He is one of the best measurists in the country, and his tests of last evening were very satisfactory. The excellence of his entertainments merits large audiences during the remainder of the week, the course continu-ing until Saturday evening.

The case of W. H. Ware against William Siedentopf, in which the plaintiff sues for \$4,500 attorney fees, will be tried before Judge McGee this morning. Siedentopf claims that all of Ware's chaims for attorney fees have been paid, and further claims a judgment for \$200 on a note which he claims a behavior of the control bave signed with Ware and finally had to

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to the following parties: Samuel D. Walker and Cora M. Subjet of Pottawatiamie and Corn M. Subjet of Pottawattamic county: Orlando Wright and Della M. Sides of Pottawattamic county: Willard C. Foster of Council Bluffs and Ollie J. Schoonover of Omaha: W. Paul Egleson and Kate M. Gib-bons of Omaha. The last couple were married by Justice Fox.

In the superior court yesterday the case of J. Jensen against J. O. mod D. E. Flocke was tried to a jury. The plaintiff claimed a batcher bill of \$140 from D. E. Flocke, and the other, his father, was made a party defendant on the strength of his having guaranteed the payment of any bills the son might run up. At the conclusion of the trial a judgment for the full amount was rendered scalast both parties. In the superior court vesterday the case of against both parties.

### Boston Store.

Watch the daily papers for the anouncement of great ANNUAL CLEAR-ING SALE of winter goods.
BOSTON STORE.

Fotheringham, Whitelaw & Co., Council Bluffs, Ia

Do you smoke? Have you tried T. D. King & Co,'s Partagas? It's a charmer.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Miss Baker of Kansas City is the guest of Mrs. B. Stevenson.

Judge W. S. Bowen of Beatrice, Neb., was the city yesterday, the guest of C. A.

George E. Gage of the Kimball-Champ In vestment company fame is in the city, stop ping at the Grand hotel. W. H. Robinson, who has been confined to home on Washington avenue by illness

for quite a while, is able to be out again. This is the kind of weather when people require substantial food. Get the best meats in town and the lowest prices at Meschendorf's.

For warming guest chambers, bath rooms, etc., our gas heaters are just what you want. Look at them. Clean, convenient, cheap. C. B. Gas and Elec-

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Old Soldiers Quarrel.

J. C. Drake, who has been keeping a sec

ond hand store on Broadway near the corner of Bryant street, was arrested yesterday morning on the charge of using the United States mail for fraudulent purposes. J. S. Strain was the man whose feelings had been hurt. He claimed to have been on the most intimate terms with Drake for a long time; they hved next door to one another, they belonged to the same church and to the they belonged to the same church and to the Grand Army, and their wives swapped butter and eggs. A few flower pots which Mrs. Strain had borrowed from Mrs. Drake were at the bottom of the difficulty, and on Strain's failing to return them, Drake wrote him a postal card in which he threatened to have him arrested for larceny. Strain at once put the card in the hands of a United States officer, who placed Drake under arrest. He was brought up for a hearing yesterday, but an agreement was reached by which the case was dismissed reached by which the case was dismissed upon the payment of the cests by the plaintiff, both of them, after mature deliberation, being only too anxious to let go of what threatened to be a bear's tail. They left the government building shaking hands and vowing eternal friendship.

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IFG SALE of winter goods.
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Now that diphtheria is prevalent in Council Bluffs and Omaha every family should be provided with Dr. Jefferis' infallible diphtheria preventive and cure. It can be had of Council Bluffs druggists or at 240 Cuming street, Omaha.

Review Club Organized. Last year a literary society was run in connection with the Young Men's Christian association of Council Bluffs. It was decided this year to enlarge its scope so as to make it of more general benefit, and with that end in view its name has been changed to the Review club. Its first meeting was held last evening in the lecture room of the asso-ciation, and meetings will be held hereafter every two weeks. Dr. A. H. Carter, the president, will arrange the program for each evening and the work will consist for the mest part of discussions on the second the most part of discussions on the topics of the day. The meetings of the literary society called out large audiences last year, and those in charge hope to have equal suc-cess in the new undertaking.

Crown and other planes. Crown and other organs.

At Bouricius', 116 Stutsman street.

Failed for a Thousand. Miss H. L. Carman, who has been running a fruit and candy store at the corner of Willow avenue and Main street, made an assignlow avenue and Main street, made an assignment yesterday for the benefit of her creditors. Her liabilities, as given in the schedule which accompanies the assignment, amount in all to \$1.188, and are divided up among about a dozen creditors in sums ranging all the way from \$10 to \$400. About the same time the assignment was placed on file in the recorder's office a writ of attachment was issued from the district court in favor was issued from the district court in favor of J. R. Snyder for \$132.85, H. L. Carman and Charles Thilow being made defendants. The value of the stock on hand is estimated

Wanted-Cash offer for ten shares Citizen's State bank stock. Must be sold. Address E. A. Sheafe.

## THE DAILY BEE NEWS FROM COUNCIL BLUFFS

Important Fairmount Park Litigation Before the City Council.

CONCERNING OUIT CLAIM DEEDS

Legal Representative of the City Considered the Payment of Ten Thousand Dollars a Cheap Way of Protecting the People's Interests.

The Pairmount park litigation, which has caused so much interest for so long, and especially during the last few days, was brought up at the meeting of the city council last evening by the presentation of the bill of Attorneys Finley, Burke and H. T. Trimble, who have represented the city. The amount of these bills was \$5,000 each. Accompanying the bills were st ements by each one, briefly recounting he services rendered for which the amounts were charged. Mr. Burke defended the city's rights in two suits in the United States circuit court, three in the district court in Pottawattamie county, the same on an appeal to the supreme court of Iowa, and one in the superior court of Council Bluffs, all of which were decided in the city's favor. He also appeared before the state senate in Des Moines, and made trips to Denver, Kansas City, Lexington, Mo., and other points

and secured valuable evidence.
The \$10,000 represented something besides the legal services of the two gentlemen, however. As stated in The Bre a few days ago, the firm of Wright & Buidwin had managed to throw a cloud on the city's title to the lots of so serious a nature that the cit, sattorneys, who had made a closer investigation into the circumstances than any one else, came to the conclusion that the cheapest way out of the difficulty would be to buy a quit claim deed to all the lots about which there was any dispute, provided the proper terms could be agreed upon. There were 197 lots whose titles were clouded thirty two of which were in Snow & Green's addition and seventy-five in Williams' Second addition. Twelve handred dollars was the amount which this quit claim would east the city, and at the request of the members of the park committee of the council the attorneys agreed to cut down their bills by paying for the quit claims themselves, and thus keep the expense of the settlement down to

The bills of both the attorneys were satisfactory to the council. Mr. Burke stated that the quit claim deeds on all the portions of the park land not included in the litigation were in his possession, signed and ready to be recorded, and that this would put an end to all litigation and give the city a clear title to the park, a thing which could not have been secured excepting, after years of fighting in the courts. The bills were ac-cordingly allowed, and a warrant was ordered drawn on the police fund for the amount. This makes the entire cost of the 100 acress comprised within the park boundaries \$15,000.

A communication was read from the park commissioners asking the council to submit to the people the question of making a l mill tax levy for the next two years to de-fray the expenses of the park litigation. The city attorney was instructed to draw up an ordinance to that effect. Rev. E. J. Babcock and W. J. Jameson

were nominated for trustees of the public library, and a vote was taken which resulted in the unanimous election of Mr. Babcock. The ordinance making the change of grade in Frank street was hid over again, in order

that more signatures of property owners might be secured.

Marshal Templeton called attention to the fact that the paynbrokers of the city should be required to send in a report daily to the chief of police of all articles purchased. The city attorney was instructed to prepare an amendment to the ordinance regulating pawn shops embedying the marshal's suggestion and report at the next meeting.

The appointment of James Cotter to a po-

sition in the fire department was referred to the fire committee.

The city clerk was authorized to purchase another code for use about the city building.
Alderman Tibbetts moved to abolish smoking during the meetings of the council. Al-derman Pace dropped his eigar long enough to second the motion, which was carried

Graves voting no. George Drake, E. B. Gardiner, George W. Strong and Chris Schroder were nominated as candidates for meat inspector. On the second ballot Drake was elected, and it was decided that he should take the office from February 1.

Alderman Graves stated that he had been 'jumped on' by several people who had spikes in their boots and asked for an exspikes in their boots and asked for an explanation of the fact that the official organ of the city had published a statement to the effect that there was, a surplus of \$84,000 in the city treasury and yet the finance committee had recently negotiated a loan of \$65,000 with which to redeem outstanding bonds. He wanted the finance committee to make a report, for he thought things looked decidedly shady. Alderman Smith informed him that although the surplus in the treasury was large enough to pay off the bonds, it was distributed around among various funds and could not be used among various funds and could not be used for the purpose. There was no second to Graves' motion for an investigation.

Some of the heaviest coal consumers in town are using Keal-spar to good advantage. Every economical family should use it. Janssen & Gregg, 37‡

First National Loan office, No. 406 Broadway. Large stock of forfeited goods for sale. Money to loan on watches, etc.

QUITE A WARM SESSION.

School Directors Devote Another Evening to Slaughtering Each Other.

The school board met in regular monthly session last evening, and before they adjourned put up one of the neatest specimens of prize ring work that even that honorable body has ever turned out. Member Wells was there, and what happened goes without saying. The reading of the minutes was the signal for the fray to commence. The resolutions which were offered by Mr. Wells at the previous meeting had not been entered upon the minutes, and when that fact became known to Mr. Wells he called atten-tion to it in a way that showed that he was not at all disfigured by his former unsuccess-ful contests with a hopeful majority. Stacy replied in a speech in which he likened the board to a lot of bar room politicians. He thought the board as it had been behaving of late was a disprace to itself, and late was a disgrace to itself and to the

Wells rose to a point of order, but Presi-ent Waite refused to hear his point. Wells informed him that he would state it then whether the president would hear it or not whether the president would hear it or not. Fields asked to have the portion of the minutes to which Wells objected reread, but Waite refused to order it reread unless the board should say so. "You take altogether too much upon yourself, Mr. President," said Wells: "you are not put on that platform to make orders, but to execute the wishes of the board." After a quarter of an hour spent in whipsawing back and forth the minutes were approved in suite of Wells," president. nour spent in whipsawing back and forth the minutes were approved in spite of Weils' pro-test, all the other members voting against him. Wells wanted his protest entered up in the record, but Walte was not disposed to allow him even that privilege, but when Stacy spoke a word in Wells' behalf and said that any member, even Wells, had the right to a thing of that kind, he subsided gracefully, saying that he was not year well

gracefully, saying that he was not very well posted on parliamentary usages anyway, and had to ask sometimes for information. "There are some things," said Wells, "which any presiding officer should be sup-posed to know." "And there are some recople." retorted the president in a white heat, "who don't know as much as they think they do."

as much as they think they do."

This little exchange of pleasantries paved the way for the transaction of a few liems of business. Chairman Bridenstein of the heating committee reported that he had had the registers at the Hill school changed as instructed by the board, but still the building was cold. He has found upon investigation that the boiler was not so large as he had supposed. He had ordered the pipes in the basement covered with asbestos, and hoped that this would remedy the defect in hoped that this would remedy the defect in

a measure. It would probably be found necessary on extra cold days to dismiss some of the rooms. Prof. Eastman had already been compelled to dismiss his room on Mon-

day afternoon on account of the cold.

Chairman Stacy of the teachers committee reported that Miss Lavick had resigned and that her place had been filled by the appointment of Miss Birdie Marsh, whose place in turn was taken by Miss Pearl

Chamberlain.

Member Shubert presented a resolution. the purpose of which was evidently to strike terror to the heart of Mr. Wells, whom he considered to have acted in the capacity of the bad boy at prayer meeting. The resolu-tion relited the fact that the school board tion relited the fact that the school beard had neglected to fix the preliminary requirements for the usual tax levy this year, and demanded of Chairman Wells of the finance committee why he had not called the attention of the beard to the requirements of the law, in order that the tax might be levied. Wells replied that he had done all the law compelled him to, and as for the finance committe, it had no responsibility any farther than any individual member of the board. Wells called the attention of the board to the fact that during his presidency he had given notice to the board of its he had given notice to the board of its duties, and it would have been a proper thing for the present head official to do the

Fields tried to be a peace maker and to induce the other members to stop their ever-lasting quarelling. He thought they had been elected to do do business, and not to try to put each other in the hole, and he further thought that they owed it to the voters and taxpayers to put in the bulk of their time treing to improve the schools. their time trying to improve the schools.
Wells replied that at the commencement of

the year the republicans on the board had told him that he was decidedly not in it, that was not to have any part in the secedings, and that President Waite I even gone so far as to ophesy that by the close of Wells' term of prophesy that by the close of Wells' term of
office he would find nothing left for him to
do but to shovel coal. He suggested that
the resolution which Shubert had presented
be referred to some schoolboy for correction
as to its grammatical structure and for
proper punctuation and spelling. It was
finally passed, however, without correction.

A resolution to offer J. J. Stewart \$100 as
full compensation for his savelers as a terms. full compensation for his services as attorney

for the board was passed. The special committee to which was referred the matter of the missing report of ex-President Wells, with reference to the school books, reported that it had hunted for it high and low, but had not suc-ceeded in running it down. The committee wanted to give up the search, but was instructed to go on for another month. Wells then introduced a for another month. Wells then introduced a resolution requiring the president to give the board a statement of his transactions in books since the beginning of his official term. It was not seconded of course, but they made a motion involving the same points and it was carried. The board was still engaged in cussing and discussing at a late how last night. late hour last night.

Coal and wood; best and cheapest Missouri hard wood in the city; prompt delivery. H. A. Cox, No. 4 Main.

Motor Case Postponed.

The case of the city against the Omaha and Council Bluffs Railway company, for \$8,000 for intersection paying, which was to have had a hearing in the superior court yesterday morning, has been postponed for a time, as it was feared would be the case. A few days ago City Attorney Hazelton filed an amendment to his original petition, in which he made the corporation of Nebraska a party to the suit, in place of the Iowa cor-poration only. The attorneys for the motor ine were in court and entered their appearance in the case. It was then agreed be-tween the attorneys that the case should be tried as soon as possible, and that a stipula-tion should be drawn up by which certain points of law and fact should be admitted on either side. The attorney is to draw up the stipulation as he thinks it should be, and it will then be modified by the attorneys for the other side. How long it will take to whipsaw the thing into a form satisfactory to both parties it is impossible to say There is no way of compelling the company to come to trial before the next term of court, however, and as they have never showed any disposition to hurry any faster than the law

would allow, it is pretty safe to assume that the suit has gone into winter quarters. City Engineer Cook has been ransacking the records during the past few days, and has found over \$2,000 worth of intersections not included in the present suit, and he still has to look up the paving on First street. When the entire amount is ascertained another petition will be filed.

## SUCCESSFULLY ELECTROCUTED.

Kornel E. Loth Pays the Penalty for a Bru-

tal Murder. DANNEMORA, N. Y., Jan. 16.-Kornel E. Loth, the murderer of Mrs. Demacsek, was electrocuted at Clinton prison at noon.

The murderer took part in the religious exercises shortly before being summoned to the death chamber, and when the time came met death calmly. The application of the current was entirely successful at first contact, but it was turned on again, as usual, to make certain of death.

In the court of eyer and terminer, at Schenectady Kornel E. Loth was convicted of the murder of Emma Demacsek, He was sentenced December 2 to be executed at Clinton prison, Dannemora, during the week beginning January 16, 1893. The history of the crime for which he was

condemned is as follows: At midday on Tuesday, June 24, Mrs. Alexander Demacsek, a comely young woman, was murdered in her house, 106 Rotterdam was murdered in her house, 106 Rotterdam street, Schenectady. Her skull was crushed in and her body received many stabs. Gussie Frisch, a little girl who chanced to go to the house, found the dead woman, and at the same time saw a man run out of the door and up the street. The murdered woman's husband was at work at the Edison shops when the deed was done, but he insinuated that John Feltheimer, a former boarder, had committed it. Feltheimer was taken before the police justice, but he proved an alibi, showing that he was working at the locomotive shops. Then Feltheimer set to work as a detective to catch the real murderer. and he succeeded in placing the crime on Loth's shoulders. Loth confessed, but en-deavored to implicate the woman's husband, saying he had hired him (Loth) to kill her, but the grand jury did not believe the story, and he afterwards confessed it was false. The object of the murder is unknown.

Double Execution. Nanaimo, B. C., Jan. 16.—A double execution took place here this morning, the criminals being a Chinaman named Sing Ke and an Italian named Dominico Tarateiago. The officials, press representatives and jury were present. The Chinaman walked firmly and present. The Chinaman watted firmly and stood under the gallows quite unconcerned. The Italian cringed and cried: "I am not the man," and had to be dragged along by two officers. He mounted all the time. The Italian was convicted on circumstantial evidence of killing another Italian named Cavenda with whom Taratalamia wife was livered. relo, with whom Taratelago's wife was liv-ng. Ke murdered a Chinaman on Cheyenne

## WEATHER FOREGASTS.

There Will Be a Great Variety of Weather in Nebraska Today, Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—For Ne-

braska: Increasing cloudiness and rain or snow; warmer in eastern, colder in western portion; easterly shifting to northerly winds, For North and South Dakota—Fair, except in western portion; warmer in eastern and colder in western part; variable winds. For lowa-Cloudiness and snow; warmer;

easterly winds.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMARA, Jan. 16.—Omaha record of temperature and rainfall compared with corresponding day of 

Statement showing the condition of temperature and precipitation at Omaha for the day and since March 1, 1892. Normal temperature ... Deficiency for the day . . . Deficiency since March 1 

Coldest of the Season, BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Jan. 16.-This is the coldest day of the season, being 180 below WILL START, THE SCHOOL

So the School Board Decides Relative to the Training Institute.

HARD FIGHT MADE AGAINST IT

Several Matters of Interest Considered at Last Night's Meeting Special World's Fair Committee Appointed to Look After the Nebraska Exhibit.

Owing to the absence of President Powell, Vice President Aikes presided at the session of the board. The report of the superintendent was first considered. It showed that during the month of December there were thirty-two school rooms with less than thirty-five pupils in attendance and one room with an average of fifty-five. In his report to the Board of Education

last evening, Superintendent Fitzpatrick said, among other things to which he desired to call their special attention, was the necessity of at once appointing a special committee to make arrangements for the exhibit to be sent to the World's fair. The space originally allotted to the Nebraska exhibit has been cut down from 6,000 to 1,200 feet. The following committee was appointed: Dr. Duryen, Colonel Akin, Dr. Gibbs and Superintendent Fitzpatrick.

The city treasuerer's monthly statement statement showed the following funds in the treasury to the credit of the school district General fund... Site and building fund... Sinking fund... The resignations of Hortens E. Smith and

Miss Florence L. Baker were presented and accepted. A communication from Chancellor Canfield of the state university was read pertained to the necessity of care in selecting teachers and in the system and plan of study in the high school. The letter was replete

with valuable suggestions. The principal of the training school called ttention to the fact that the time was rapidly approaching for the graduating exercises of the Teachers Training school and that \$75 would be needed to pay for the opera house and other necessary expenses connected with the exercises.

Stone Cutters Enter a Protest. The Journeymen Stone Cutters' association notified the board by special communication that the contractors to whom the contract for building the Franklin se was let has subjet the work cutting the stone to a non-union firm. committee desired the board to take steps to have this matter changed, both as a matter of furnishing relief to the union lal city and for the protection of the board.

Some discussion arose over a motion to allow Richard Smith \$1,500 as an estimate on the Lothrop school. This appeared to some members of the board to be a vio-lation of the contract, because he had been paid all but 15 per cent of his con-tract price, and the amount remaining was to have been held back until the building was completed. Mr Smith claims to have been held back by bad weather and had not been able to complete the work be-fore winter closed in, although he had nearly finished the building. He was willing to leave \$1.000 back as a guarantee that the work would be properly finished in the spring. The estimate asked for was

Several complaints from teachers were read, in which it was stated that the ma-terial furnished by the Megeath Stationery company was not as good as had been fur nished in previous years.

New Teachers Appointed.

following additional teachers were The following additional teachers were elected: Mrs. Artie D. Webb, Miss Gracie Tisdale, Miss Ella Reed, Mrs. F. I. Ware, Miss Alice Root, Miss Nellie Powers, Miss Mollie Brown, Miss Mattle Forbes, Mr. W. H. Allen, Mrs. L. H. Rodebush, Miss Ivy Reed, Miss Mamie Fürloug, Mrs. Mary K. Kidder, Miss Jennie M. Ross, Mrs. Mary Hodge, Mrs. Alice Points. A number of ignitions were appointed. janitors were appointed.
Claims amounting to \$3,000 were read and

Dr. Duryea offered a resolution to provide for payment the traveling expenses of a professor of Ann Arbor university from Ann Arbor to Omaha and return for the purpose of having the high school course examined in order that the school might be placed upon the accredited list of the university. He read a letter from President Angell in which the well-known educator seemed to indicate that the Omaha high school was looked upon with favor and would in all probability be placed on the list as soon as a professor from the university could make the necessary examination of the work done here. By having the high school on the accredited list graduates will be ad-mitted to the freshman class of the univer-sity without examination. The resolution

was adopted. Instructions for Inspectors

On motion of Mr. Elgather the building inspectors were instructed to suspend work on all buildings in which pressed brick were used when the mercury falls below 32°-Fahrcuheit and on buildings where common Fahrcuheit and on buildings where common brick were used when the mercury fell below 24°. This was intended as a protection against freezing the fresh bresh brickwork and spoiling it. The resolution was adopted. The secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for additional lots adjoining or a new site for the Long school. Mr. Gibson introduced a resolution, which was adopted, to compel all coal dealers furnishing coal for the schools to have the coal weighed on the city scales and deliver the

weighed on the city scales and deliver the weight slip with the coal.

Mr. Thomas brought up the matter of the teachers' training school. He offered a resolution to re-establish the training school and open it for the reception of pupils the first week in February; also to appoint a special committee to formulate additional rules for the government of the training chool.
Mr. Elgutter wanted the matter put over

for two weeks, claiming that the reinstatement of the training school would necessitate a change in the rules of the board and all changes in the rules had to be first presented and laid over for two weeks before final action. Mr. El-gutter referred to a rule of the board which appeared to sustain his view of the question but the chair ruled the resolution was in order and could be disposed of at once, Objects to the Training School.

Mr. Elgutter appealed from the decision of the chair but was not sustained. He ad-dressed the board at some length endeavor dressed the board at some length endeavoring to show that the teachers' training
school was the school system and
that the board had no more
right to educate professional teachers
than to educate lawyers or doctors. He
quoted from reports from other cities, showing that the maintenance of training schools
had been injurious to the teaching standard.
The tendency was to lower the standard of The tendency was to lower the standard of ability in the teaching force by employing

br. Glibs spoke in favor of the training school, and denied the statements made by Mr. Elgutter with



regard to the injurious effects of the school upon the teaching force of the city. After some considerable discussion it was decided to re-establish the school. EX-PRESIDENT HAVES ILL.

He Has a Severe Attack of Neuralgia of the

Heart. FREMOST, O., Jan. 16.—The information has just been obtained that ex-President R. B. Hayes has had a serious attack of neuralgia of the heart and that he has been in a dangerous condition, which is somewhat improved Ex-President Haves left home last Mon-

day on a trip to Columbus, Buffalo and Cleveland. At the last named place he spent a few days with his son. Webb Hayes. During the last month the expresident has complained of one or two attacks of neuralgia of the heart, but as they soon passed away he thought nothing of it. On Saturday he experienced a severe occurrence of the malady, but being prepared for his return home, proceeded on his journey accompanied by his son Webb, arriving the same evening. Dr. F. S. Hibish, the family physician, was summoned and has attended

by stead, was summined and has attended the stricken general ever since.

Dr. Hilbish is one of the best known physicians of this city, and at the time of the fatal fliness of Mrs. Lucy Webb Hayes was one of the physicians who attended her. The doctor stated that the ex-president had been suffering these constraints. been suffering from a sovere attack of heart neuralgia, but that today he had partially recovered, though he was not yet out of danger. The doctor will spend the night at his The relatives and immediate friends state

The relatives and immediate richals state that the general is not seriously ill and that he will again be out in a few days.

The ex-president's sudden severe illness is received with surprise. Rutherford B. Hayes, jr., Webb C. Hayes and Miss Frances Hayes are now in the city, while Scott is at Cincinnati Cincinnati.

SPARKS OF SPORT.

First Steps in a Big Billiard Match Taken Yesterday.

[Copyrighted 1823 by James Gordon Bennett.] Paris, Jan. 16.—[New York Herald Cable Special to The Bee.]-This afternoon an American gentleman entered Vignaux's billiard academy and addresstd Eugene Carter, who is one of the professors there. He said: "! am willing to back Vignaux for \$5,000 against any man in the world on the same terms as his last match with Schaeffer, to play 1,200 points balk line in two scances of 600 points each, and am ready to deposit \$1,000 at once in proof of my good faith."

Carter said he would submit the matter to Vignaux. Vignaux was consulted and after some demur consented to play any comer within twenty-five days from this date. I am not at liberty to mention his backer's name. but the money is ready. Here is a chance for Slosson, who has now plenty time to cross the Atlantic and return in time for the Chicago fair.

Goddard and Ed Smith Matched. CRICAGO, Ill. Jan. 16 .- Joe Godnard, the barrier champion, and "Denver" Ed Smith were matched today to fight to a finish at catchweights for \$2,500 a side and the best purse offered. Smith, accompanied by his backer, John Quinn of Pittsburg, and his brother Harry Smith, arrived in town today and at once posted a forfeit. Billy Madder was notified and at once covered the deposit on behalf of Goddard. Hagen Defeats Breen Again.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 16.-In championship skating match, one mile, Hagen defeated Breen in 2:49 3-5; Breen's time.

Union Pacific Changes.

POCATELLO, Idaho., Jan. 16,-[Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-It is stated here on good authority, although not officially, that General Manager Bancroft of the mountain division of the Union Pacific has resigned to accept a similar position with the Iron Mountain line and that Superintendent Calvin of the Idaho division will succeed him. The assistant superintendent will be superintendent of the Idaho division, and Morris will be succeeded by H. E. Vanhousen, now Mr. Calvin's assistant, for the Utah & Northern.

Want the Chinese Law Repealed. PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 16.-The Portland Ministerial association, composed of fifty-



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is bad enough, with the ordinary pill. But the having it
down is worse. And, after
all the disturbance, there's
only a little temporary good.
From beginning to end, Dr.
Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are
better. They're the smallest
and easiest to take—tiny,
sugar-coated granules that
any child is ready for. Then
they do their work so easily
and so naturally that it lasts.
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five members of the Evangelical churches, nve members of the Evangelical churches, today reported resolutions asking congress to repeal the anti-Chinese legislation enacted at the last session of congress. The resolutions declare that it belittles a friendly power by reducing her subjects to the level of criminals.

TRAINS CRASH TOGETHER.

Fireman Killed and Three Trainmen Hurt in a Pennsylvania Wreck.

Pirrsneng, Pa., Jan. 16.—The third section of the fast train east on the Pennsylvania road ran into a coal train near Latrobe early this morning, wrecking five coal cars and the engine on the passenger train. Litzinger was crushed to death and George Cannon, George Kelly and William Gettingy, trainmen, were seriously if not fatally hurt.

Deferred Decision

Last night the license board took up the cases of M. Walenz, 1318 Leavenworth and 1820 Pierce streets, whose application was protested on account of illegal advertising. After listening several hours to testimony the board, in executive session, decided to defer its decision till Wednesday night.

Movements of Ocean Steamers January 16. At Hamburg - Arrived, Tarmona from New At Liverpool-Arrived, Norseman from Boston, Tunic from New York, At London—Arrived, British Queen from At Lizard-Passed, Danube from New

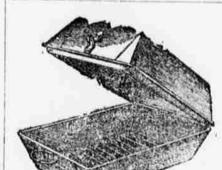
Business Troubles. Memenis, Tenn., Jan. 16.-C. R. Ryan & Co., wholesale grocers., assigned today. Estimated assets, \$150,090; liabilities, \$78,000. The Memphis banks are creditors to the amount of \$47,000.

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